

Word Power Dictionary

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5000 Difficult English Words and their Meanings. | Advanced Words in English Language | Letter A -- 275 Words | Letter B -- 242 Words | Letter C -- 438 Words | Letter D -- 321 Words | Letter E -- 238 Words | Letter F -- 233 Words | Letter G -- 171 Words | Letter H -- 149 Words | Letter I -- 266 Words | Letter J -- 51 Words | Letter K -- 19 Words | Letter L -- 132 Words | Letter M -- 175 Words | Letter N -- 66 Words | Letter O -- 109 Words | Letter P -- 393 Words | Letter Q -- 22 Words | Letter R -- 303 Words | Letter S -- 787 Words | Letter T -- 205 Words | Letter U -- 172 Words | Letter V -- 98 Words | Letter W -- 112 Words | Letter XYZ -- 23 Words

Sample This:

01 -- abandon (v.) -- to discard; to dump; to leave sb/sth permanently || related words: abandoned (adj.), abandonment (n.)

02 -- abase (v.) -- to do sth that makes people have less respect for you; to degrade || related word: abasement (n.)

03 -- abashed (adj.) -- ashamed in a social situation; embarrassed

04 -- abate (v.) -- to become very weak; to fade away; to subside || related word: abatement (n.)

05 -- abdicate (v.) -- to step down from the position of being king; to renounce; to give up || related word: abdication (n.)

06 -- aberrant (adj.) -- abnormal, unsocial or weird; nonstandard || related word: aberration (n.)

07 -- abet (v.) -- to assist, encourage or support sb in doing sth illegal, immoral, etc.

08 -- abhor (v.) -- to extremely hate or dislike sb/sth for ethical reasons; to detest || related words: abhorrent (adj.), abhorrence (n.)

09 -- abide (v.) -- to reside somewhere

10 -- abiding (adj.) -- (of feelings, ideas, etc.) long-lasting

11 -- abject (adj.) -- having no hope or self-esteem; miserable || related word: abjectly (adv.)

12 -- abjure (v.) -- to give up a belief or idea publicly; to renounce

13 -- ablaze (adj.) -- on fire; afire | full of strong feelings, bright lights, etc.

14 -- ablutions (n.) -- an action of cleaning or washing yourself

15 -- abnegate (v.) -- to reject sth that you like; to renounce || related word: abnegation (n.)

16 -- abode (n.) -- the place where you reside/live; residence

17 -- abolish (v.) -- to get rid of a law, rule, etc. officially; to eliminate || related words: abolition (n.), abolitionist (n.)

18 -- abominate (v.) -- to hate intensely || related words: abominable (adj.), abomination (n.)

19 -- aboriginal (adj.) -- primitive

20 -- abortive (adj.) -- (of an action) unsuccessful

21 -- abound (v.) -- to be plentiful

22 -- about-turn (n.) -- a reversal of a plan or opinion, etc.

23 -- above board (adj./adv.) -- honest or genuine / honestly or genuinely

24 -- abrasion (n.) -- cut or scratch

25 -- abrasive (adj.) -- rough | rude || related words: abrasively (adv.), abrasiveness (n.)

26 -- abreast (adv.) -- side by side

27 -- abridge (v.) -- to shorten a book, etc. || related words: abridged (adj.), abridgment (n.)

28 -- abrogate (v.) -- to officially cancel a law || related word: abrogation (n.)

29 -- abrupt (adj.) -- sudden | impolite || related words: abruptly (adv.), abruptness (n.)

30 -- abscond (v.) -- to run away; to escape

31 -- abseil (v.) -- to descend a steep cliff

32 -- absolution (n.) -- forgiveness

33 -- absolutism (n.) -- rule by dictator; autocracy || related word: absolutist (adj./n.)

34 -- absolve (v.) -- to officially forgive somebody

35 -- abstain (v.) -- to give up or stay away from sth bad, illegal or immoral | to decide not to cast your vote in election | related words: abstainer (n.), abstention (n.)

36 -- abstemious (adj.) -- self-disciplined

37 -- abstinence (n.) -- restraint from eating or drinking because of ethical reasons | related word: abstinent (adj.)

38 -- abstracted (adj.) -- absentminded || related word: abstractedly (adv.)

39 -- abstruse (adj.) -- that cannot be understood easily; obscure

40 -- abundant (adj.) -- plentiful || related word: abundantly (adv.)

41 -- abut (v.) -- to be next to sth; to adjoin

42 -- abysmal (adj.) -- extremely bad || related word: abysmally (adv.)

42 -- abyss (n.) -- enormously deep hole

44 -- accede (v.) -- to give approval to a plan, request, etc. | to become ruler

45 -- accentuate (v.) -- to highlight something; to emphasize || related word: accentuation (n.)

46 -- accession (n.) -- the state of becoming a ruler

related word: abhorrence; abject -- hopeless; abjure -- to renounce; abnormal -- unusual

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improve your English as you build your vocabulary

The Most Effective Vocabulary Builder in the English Language

500 Words and Their Synonyms A synonym is a word that has the same or nearly the same meaning as another word. Sample This: English Synonyms – A 001. ABET -- (meaning) to encourage somebody to do something illegal Synonyms for 'Abet' -- incite / instigate / provoke ***** 002. ABEYANCE -- (meaning) being stopped for a period of time Synonyms for 'Abeyance' -- dormancy / intermission / suspension ***** 003. ABILITY -- (meaning) the fact that somebody is able to do something Synonyms for 'Ability' -- aptitude / capability / competence / knack / potential / proficiency / skill / talent ***** 004. ABLAZE -- (meaning) burning; on fire Synonyms for 'Ablaze' -- aflame / afire / alight ***** 005. ABRASIVE -- (meaning) not smooth Synonyms for 'Abrasive' -- coarse / harsh / rough ***** 006. ABSENCE -- (meaning) not available, present, etc. Synonyms for 'Absence' -- nonexistence / nonappearance / nonattendance ***** 007. ABSTRUSE -- (meaning) difficult to understand Synonyms for 'Abstruse' -- arcane / complicated / convoluted / esoteric / garbled / inarticulate / incoherent / incomprehensible / indecipherable / inexplicable / intricate / obscure / rarefied / recondite / unfathomable / unintelligible / unplumbed ***** 008. ABUSE -- (meaning) unfair or cruel treatment Synonyms for 'Abuse' -- brutality / cruelty / exploitation / ill-treatment / maltreatment / mistreatment / misuse / spitefulness / viciousness ***** 009. ABYSS -- (meaning) a very deep crack in the ground Synonyms for 'Abyss' -- chasm / gulf ***** 010. ACCEDE -- (meaning) to agree to a demand, request, proposal, etc. Synonyms for 'Accede' -- acquiesce / approve / assent / commend / comply / endorse / grant / permission / ratify / sanction ***** 011. ACCENTUATE -- (meaning) to make something more noticeable Synonyms for 'Accentuate' -- emphasize / highlight / underline / underscore ***** 012. ACCLIMATIZE -- (meaning) to get used to the new situation Synonyms for 'Acclimatize' -- adapt / adjust ***** 013. ACCOMPLISH -- (meaning) to succeed in getting something Synonyms for 'Accomplish' -- attain / conquer / manage ***** 014. ACCOST -- (meaning) to come near to somebody/something Synonyms for 'Accost' -- advance / approach / confront ***** 015. ACCREDITED -- (meaning) officially recognized Synonyms for 'Accredited' -- certified / endorsed / licensed ***** 016. ACCRUAL -- (meaning) increase in something over a period of time Synonyms for 'Accrual' -- accretion / addition / amassing / buildup / gathering ***** 017. ACCUSE -- (meaning) to say somebody is guilty of something Synonyms for 'Accuse' -- arraign / blame / charge / impeach / indict / prosecute ***** 018. ACQUIT -- (meaning) to say officially that somebody is not guilty of a crime Synonyms for 'Acquit' -- absolve / exculpate / exonerate ***** 019. ADMIRATION -- (meaning) praise or approval Synonyms for 'Admiration' -- acclaim / accolade / applause / approbation / commendation / ovation ***** 020. ADMIRING -- (meaning) behavior that shows that you respect somebody/something Synonyms for 'Admiring' -- chivalrous / considerate / courteous / deferential / gracious / respectful / reverent / reverential ***** 021. ADROIT -- (meaning) skillful and accurate Synonyms for 'Adroit' -- agile / deft / dexterous / natty / nifty / nimble / swift ***** 022. ALARMING -- (meaning) causing feeling of fear and worry Synonyms for 'Alarming' -- baffling / bewildering / confounding / disconcerting / disquieting / distressing / perplexing / puzzling / tormenting / upsetting / worrying *****

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What are "Root Words"? A root or root word is a word that is used to form another word. It is also called a base word. A root does not have a prefix (a letter or group of letters added to the beginning of a word) or a suffix (a letter or group of letters added to the end of a word). The root is the primary lexical unit of a word, and of a word family. For example, pure is a root. By adding prefixes and suffixes, the following words could be made: impure, purity, pureness Similarly, play and move are root words. By adding prefixes and suffixes, the following words could be made: plays, played, playing, player moving, movement, moved, movable, mover, movingly In this book, I have given the most common Greek and Latin roots which are used in English language. Sample This: Root Words -- A AGG Origin: Latin | Meaning: collected Examples: agglomerate -- to collect things and form them into a mass or group | related word: agglomeration aggrandize -- to increase your importance or power | related word: aggrandizement aggregate -- to put together different items, amounts, etc. into a single total | related words: aggregation, aggregator ***** ALTR/ALTER Origin: Latin | Meaning: other Examples: altruism -- caring about the needs of other people | related word: altruistic alterable -- that can be changed | related word: unalterable altercation -- noisy argument alternate -- to follow one after other | related words: alternately, alternation, alternative ***** ANIM Origin: Latin | Meaning: breath; life; soul Examples: animal -- a living creature animate -- having life; to make something full of liveliness | related words: animated, animatedly, animation, animato, animator, inanimate animateur -- a person who promotes social activities animism -- the belief that natural objects have a living soul | related words: animist, animistic animosity -- a strong feeling of opposition equanimity -- calm state of mind magnanimous -- kind, forgiving, generous | related words: magnanimity, magnanimously pusillanimous -- lack of courage unanimous -- agreeing with others | related word: unanimously ***** Some More Root Words -- A Root Word [Origin] -- Meaning | Example(s) (Related Words in Bracket) a [Greek] -- not | atheism, apolitical, atypical ablat [Latin] -- remove | ablation ablut [Latin] -- wash | ablutions abort [Latin] -- born too soon | abortion abras [Latin] -- rub off | abrasion (abrasive, abrasively, abrasiveness) abstemi [Latin] -- controlled; moderate | abstemious abund [Latin] -- overflow | abundance (abundant, abundantly) ac [Latin] -- to, toward | accept (acceptability, acceptable, acceptably, acceptance, acceptation) acanth [Greek] -- thorn | acanthus acet [Latin] -- vinegar | acetate, acetic, acetone achr [Greek] -- colorless | achromic acid [Latin] -- sour | acidic, acidify, acidosis, acidulate (acidulation, acidulous) acm [Greek] -- summit | acme aco [Greek] -- relief | aconite acous [Greek] -- hear | acoustic (acoustical, acoustically, acoustician, acoustics) adama [Greek] -- invincible | adamant (adamantly) ade [Greek] -- enough | adequate (adequacy, adequately) adip [Latin] -- fat | adipose adolesc [Latin] -- growing up | adolescent (adolescence) aer [Greek] -- air or atmosphere | aerate (aeration), aerial, aerialist, aerobic (aerobics, anaerobic) agr [Latin] -- field | agrarian, agriculture (agriculturist, agricultural) ***** Other Root Words -- A Root Word [Origin] -- Meaning aapt [Greek] -- indomitable, unfriendly abact [Latin] -- driven away abdit [Latin] -- secret/hidden ablep [Greek] -- loss of sight abr [Greek] -- delicate abscis [Latin] -- cutoff absit [Latin] -- distant aca [Greek] -- a point; silence acar [Greek] -- tiny accip [Latin] -- allow, snatch accliv [Latin] -- steep; up-hill accresc [Latin] -- increase ace [Greek] -- heal acer [Latin] -- sharp acerv [Latin] -- pile acesc [Greek] -- healing; remedy

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